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uors as a beverage, and its work has been indorsed by churches of every

denomination, with many arguments as

to the good it would bring to our land and people. It succeeded in having the teaching of the deleterious effects of

alcohol introduced into our public schools, and this has been going on for

Prohibition is now part of the Constitution of the United States, and the amendment was adopted as required by

law, and under any circumstances it is

its ratification before it became a law. and the Supreme Court of the United

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Two Minutes **Poems and Songs Desired** THE PAL AND COKE COMPANY Miles of Call and Pril 18, 1903 * All Holders of all outstanding above de-Scribed Bonds of Central Cust and Coke THE PEOPLE'S FORUM The Daily Novelette of Optimism By HERMAN J. BTICH Street Car Courtesy To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger: Sir-I would appreciate it very much you would kindly publish the inclosed. JOHN H. McA. * Philadelphia, May 25, 1922. power to magnetize crowds, despite a lack of the usual oratorical arts. He was desperately in earnest. He gave a new demonstration of how to capture publicity. The Rough Rider made the grade, which was a steep one, and after that his constraints of the state of the Crabapples and Love IN LUTHERAN DRIVE Letters to the Editor Questions Answered By Clarissa Machie "Let's Go!" What Lloyd George Said To the Editor of the Suming Public Ledger: Sir-Is it a fact that during the great World War one of the sulled feaders said be feared the German people more than be did the German army? Tork. Pa., May 24, 1922. At one time during the war Lloyd George Prohibition Legally Enacted To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger: Sir-I read with some interest in the

Consecration Services Held in Ninety Churches in Inner

Mission Appeal

The \$100,000 Inner Mission appeal of The \$100,000 Inner Mission appeal of that ran past Ben's orchard followed the Lutheran churches of Philadelphia its course to the bay and touched last started officially yesterday, and pledges of all Jane's land. It was a beautiful obtained last week were reported day-blue sky, a fresh wind, racing clouds, birds singing and the air was amounting to more than half that sweet with blossoms.

the movement yesterday, pointing to the , my need for a prompt response which will

build a new settlement house and pro-vide needed equipment for the Neigh-horhood House and the Luther Hospice.

One thousand workers, divided inte-

A handsome building will be erected

for the settlement house at 1333 Frank-

ford avenue if the movement is success-

\$25 A DAY FOR BEGGAR

teams of ten each, are conducting the

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NOTICE OF REDEMPTION OF

GENERAL ASPHALT COMPANY

MANCIAL

All Holders of all outstanding above described Bonds of Central Cual and Coke Company: Notice is hereby fiven that pursuant to Article contration of the General Commolidated Company for Insurances of Lives and Grant-name and Coke Company to the Pennsylvanin to Article and Article Company is the Central Coal and Coke Company to the Grant Coal and Coke Company for the Grant Coal and Coke Company for a second contrast coal and the first of the Contral Coal and the first of the Central Coal and the first of the Grant Coal and Coke Company has elected to exercise its of the Grant Coal and the first of the Central Coal and the first of the Central Coal and the first of the Coal and Coke Company has elected to exercise its of the first of

GENERAL ASPHALT COMPANY Right Per Cent. Ten Year Sinking Fund Tonvert ble tould Bonds. Dated December 1, 1920, and Called for Redemption on June 1, 1922. NOTICE 18 HENERY GIVEN That Bank-The Trust Company, as Trustee under a cer-ten Trust Arresement with General Asthalt Company, cated December 1, 1920, task called for payment on June 1, 1920, task called for payment on June 1, 1920, task effet of payment on June 1, 1920, task to the fage value thereof, together with as prived liferest on such erineius) amount to une 1, 1922. The numbers of the bonds. The fage value thereof, together with a there have been drawn by lot by the The fage value thereof or the purpose of the The fage value thereof or the purpose of the The fage for the purpose of the the campaign be campaign with pledges amount of bonds of the purpose of the The Church of the Holy Communion rund filerest on such of the bonds. The Church of the Holy Communion the amounting the campaign with pledges amount of Store and the for the purpose of the the fage value for the purpose of the the function for the purpose of the the campaign to the show here drawn by lot by the the function for the purpose of the the function for the purpose of the the meanting the campaign with pledges amount of Store of the function for the purpose of the function of the function for the purpose of the the function for the purpose of the the function of the fun

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Dated. May 17, 1922 BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee BY H. F. Wilson, Jr., Vice-Pres' and Much Philanthropy Wasted, the

LENIGH FOWER SECURITIES CORPORA-TION TEN-YEAB 6% SECURED GOLD

Tion TEN-YEAR 6% SECURED GOLD NOTES Pursuant to Article VI of the Trust Agree Lebish Fower Securities Corporation with the undersigned as Trustee, to secure the Ten-fear 6% Secured Gold Notes of the said Lebish Power Securities Corporation, Guar-te the store fronts on Market and Chestnut the store order to Store came to him across the intervening shace. "I hate you, Ben for the said from his face and if Loco 482 411. All such proposals unless therein other-All such proposals unless therein other-

Two Dollars and Forty-One Cents 1 R1.000.482.41. All such proposals unless therein other-wise specifically expressed, shall be subject to the condition that either all or any por-tion of the noise therein offered may be purchased at the price therein specified. Sealed proposals will be received by the Undersigned at its office. No. 140 Broad-way, New York City, until 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 5, 1922. Notice of purchase of noise will be mailed must be delivered to the undersigned, before the close of business on June 15, 1922, on which date interest will cease on noise pur-chased but not delivered. GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK WILLIAM C. FOTTER, President. in Kensington. The minister said he selected a beg-

man received forty-one cents in that time

WILLIAM C. POTTER, President. May 25, 1922



have known Ben was going after shrimps that morning, but the creek

There were special consecration serv-tees yesterday, when prayers were of-fered for the success of the drive. Dur-ing the week pledges will be asked of more than 30,000 adult Lutherans. Every Lutheran elergyman referred to the movement yesterday, pointing to the my nets and lobster pots. Come along?

"Not today-I'm busy." she evaded. His glance sharpened. "Don't pick your blossoms, Jane." "Why not? They're mine." People Great activity was shown in St. "Why not? They're mine." People John's Church, Melrose, where many of the wealthiest Lutherans are parish-spoken. Sometimes Jane (secretly) beof the wealthiest Lutherans are parish-ioners. Peter P. Hagan, chairman of the campaign committee, and E. Clar-ence Miller, the banker, are members of St. John's. Mr. Hagan demon-strated his ability as a campaign leader by obtaining about \$31,000 in pleader during the last two weeks. Up to date, St. John's congregation has pleader Muring the last two weeks. Up to date, St. John's congregation has pleader Muring definition of the state of th "I will remember the fragrance of the House of Representatives of urity blossoms and do without the jelly," she fourths of the States were required for blossoms and do without the jelly," she

retorted. "Humph! Wasn't there some poet chap that said if he had a loaf of bread he'd sell it and buy hyacinths or ginning the campaign with pledges amounting to \$\$000. The Mount Airy and Glenside dis-

states decided it was legally and con-stitutionally a part of our Constitution. What is the duty of every loyal, red-blooded American? Why, use his efforts to see that the law is en-forced and not be accument in the The Mount Airy and Glenside dis-trief, of which George Berger is chair-man, has subscribed more than half its forced and not by argument in the public press, pulpit and forum encour-age violation of it, especially the orbread and milk-hang in all. Jane, you're laughing." he ended wrathfully. "You are so funny, Benjamin!" dained servants of God. "Show's over." he retorted gruffly as

Violations are encouraged by the teams of ten cach, are conducting the ranvass A woman's auxiliary is taking an active part in the city-wide move-ment. Mrs. F. W Bauer, Mrs. W. F. Monroe and Miss Katherine Miller are about several things, such as saving considered respectable element, who at this late day are using their spurious arguments tacitly against enforcement. There are more violations in Penn-sylvania and more drunkenness than some of your blossoms for the fruit time and not wasting love by playing with it in any other State because we have the Woner act. an iniquitous piece of legis-

too long." "What will happen if I do-that?" she called, her voice cool and thin and lation. prevoking. Why.

I trust those who have been writing and preaching against prohibition will repeat of the evil they have thoughtas he bent over the engine and then suddenly straightened up and faced her, "why, some day when you lessly been parties to and in a very are ready to take love seriously you large measure have contributed to the large measure have contribution of the Vol-violation of the enforcement of the Vol-version of the enforcement of the Vol-

Is Seasickness Abolished? according to an investigation that has been quietly conducted during the last week by the Rev. Ross Stover, paster of Messiah Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Jefferson streets. Speaking on "A bis congregation last evening how he made a personal investigation of the gentle art of begging on Market street and also of the manufacture of hooch and also of the manufacture of hooch in Kensington. in the tide. An old flat-bottomed boat ters are to be strengthened looms large in was moored there, its rotten painter the contemplation of those lucky mortals tied to a round stone on the bank. By who have the wherewithal to take a real summer holiday. Some of them have read with eager interest the report that

into the skiff and reached for the branches. The boat moved under her weight and the old line snapped. The ebbing tide snatched at the skiff and swung it into the current and in a moment they were rocking down the the star incorporation for the time when the tour-TO THE HOLDERS OF THE J. G. BRILL COMPANY BIRNEY SAFETY FULLE-SERIES "A." TRUST CERTIFICATES: SERIES "A." TRUST NO. 3
 Notice is bereive given that the Cartificates seriously and another was cut and percember 1, 1919, creating the J. G. Brill Binage Safety Equipment Trust No. 5, basis accordance with the provisions of the said
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 When their automobile upset about one City line, one man was injured near City line, one man was injured bruised badly. A five-year-old boy in the car escaped serious injury. Lewis Braunstein, 1634 South Fifth in accordance with the provisions of the said
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 Weight and the old line snapped. Swing it into the current and in a moment they were rocking down the creek at an increasing speed. June had flopped down into the bottom of the boat. A single car there might be used as a rudder. Jane was bandy about boats. All she could do now was to an iridescent draam!
 Glorious promise, if it is fact and not an iridescent draam!

grade, which was a steep one, and alter that his career was comparatively easy

It may turn out that the yellowest of the yellow editors will find himself pitted against the son of his oldtime enemy. LOOKER ON. Atlantic City, N. J., May 25, 1922.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 25, 1922. At one time during the war Lloyd George said: "I fear the disciplined people babind the distributed family and the daylight saving letter furthed far it more than the imperial army it has tried daylight saving without pushing the clocks ahad and then forget all about it. MOSES. Philadelphia, May 25, 1922.

Sir-President Harding put his ap-peal for the shorter working day for steel mill men on humanitarian grounds. He might also have stressed the eco-

nomic point of view. It has been sufficiently well deter-mined to be accepted as an estab-lished fact that the efficiency of the worker can not be kept at normal for such long hours as were once uni-versal in the steel industry and which are still in effect to a large degree. Va-rious tests were made during those days of the war when it was so important that labor should be as efficient as was, that labor should be as efficient as was humanly possible. Tests, made prin-cipally in England, determined then that long hours are not all productive hours, and that, if efficiency is to be made the test, the short shift is the more economical. The efficiency of the individual rapidly decreases after eight hours of labor.

hours of labor. There are doubtless employers to whom the humanitarian thought would make no appeal, but to whom this eco-nomic consideration might have a de-

termining effect. INDUSTRIOUS IKE. Pottstown, Pa., May 24, 1922.

The Pestigo. Wis., fire in 1871 burned 1.-280,000 acres of timber and cost 1800 human lives: the Hinckley fire of 1894 burned over 100,000 acres in Minnsota, destroying prop-erty valued at \$25,000,000 and cost 418 lives, and the great Idaho fire in 1810 burned 2,000,000 acres of timber and cost eighty-five lives.

Wheat Consumption in U. S. To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger: Sir-To decide a friendly argument, please what the par capita consumption c wheat as flour in the United States is. Pailadelphia, May 25, 1922.

Sir-I know there is a difference in the terms fotsam and jetsam. frequently used in neswpaper articles and elsewhere, but I can't exactly define it. Will you kindly ex-plain it?

plain it? READER. Philadelphis, May 25, 1922. In law, flotsam, or floatsam, is derelict or shipwrecked goods floating in the sea, while jetsam is goods thrown overboard which sink and remain under water.

Tomorrow the equipment that has specialized In jars. Wise folk have often told me that "chloks come have to root."

 Where "set the other failow or be'll set you"
 is the rase.

 I think so much about it that I class it superfine:
 found a place for everything and put everything in its place.

 As I am not an employe with an ax to grind or trim.
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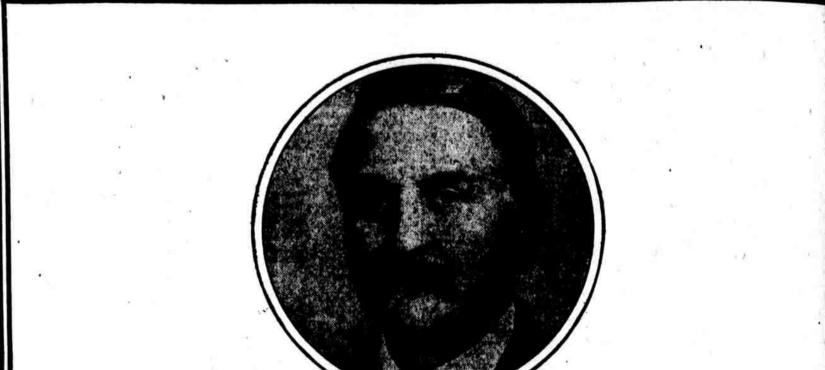
 Tou'll see I'm rendering unto Caesar the stuff that belongs to him.
 At the same time realizing what Kipling's to he said to the water-carrier. "Tou're a better man than me."

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 "Tou're a better man than me."

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to the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:

To the Editor of the Eveneus Public Ledger: To the Editor of the Eveneus Public Ledger: Sir-Some time ago I saw a request in your People's Forum for a book "The Maiden Widow." by Southwork. In an old packing case of books which belonged to my great-grapdmother. I found this volume and will be glad to forward it to the lady who re-quested it. (MISS) H. C. GODBHALL. 1803 Diamond street. Thiladelphis. May 22, 1922. "The Unknown"--Words of the song you send for reproduction in the People's Forum obviously are incomplete. The lines do nor r byou will send the verses in proper form, the People's Forum will use them. The People's Forum will people form the People's Forum will people for the people the people form the people form the people for the people form the people form



READER.

Rev. Ross Stover Says Professional beggars who sit along may find it has become tired of walt-ing and-gone on!" With a clatter and fuss the little craft leaped forstead act. Philadelphia, May 25, 1922.

gar who had "a quiet place" on Market was moored there, its rotten painter street, and stood beside him for ten minutes, counting his "receipts." The standing in the boat Jane could easily

ples on those lower limbs never amount-ed to anything, after all. Of course, good old city of Philadelphia, the spon-she would never let Ben know that she sors of which, skilled engineers, tell us

heeded his advice. She stepped down proved a great success. into the skiff and reached for the They give the cheering assurance that

here to stay some years at least. The arguments of L. H. B., the Pen-nells, Krauskopfs, Conwells, Cuylers and Deavers are somewhat belated and erratic and should have been working while the subject was under discussion and in account being considered. Sufand its enactment being considered. Sufficient publicity was given and every opportunity afforded to oppose it and secure its defeat. Two-thirds of the vote of the Senate and House of Representatives and a two-thirds vote of the Senate and House of Representatives of

cars.

FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY, Trustee

PER CENT SINKING FUND GOLD Juvenile Courts and other sources. BONDS, due 1928,

Pursuant to terms of mortgage dated July 1. 1911. the undersigned invites tenders of hove bonds for sale and dollvery as of July 1. 1972, at a price not exceeding 1024, 5 and accrued interest to the extent of 133.385.16. the sum now available in Sinking Fund.

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New York May 4, 1922 To the Holders of the 5% Serial Notes of THE WILLIAM CRAMP & SONS SHIP seud under the Ascrements of April 1922, and the action of two and one-ball per with a precedum of two and one-ball per cent 225 % or 102%, and accrued in-instruct of attended to fuely 1, 1922, and Chastnut Streets, Philadalble, Interest on the above-mentioned Serial Notes will rease on Job 1 1922. THE WILLIAM CRAMP & SONS SHIP 4 ENGINE HULLDING CO. CHAS T TAVLOR, Trussurer, Component Streets, Componant, Street, Component Streets, Component, Street, Chastnut Streets, Street, TavLOR, Trussurer, Component Street, Component, Street, Chast T TAVLOR, Trussurer, Component Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Component, Street, Street

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In accordance with the provisions of the said arreement been called for redemption and gayment as of June 1, 1922, at par and as crued dividends to the said date of redemp-tion. Holders of the said Certificates are re-emption, with all unmatured coupons at-tached, at the office of Fidelity, Trust Com-ball cease. The Certificates called for redemption are: They were taken to the West Phila-delphia Homeopathic Hospital, where it was said Goldberg is suffering from boy along the shore. to jack up the car to release the men. They were taken to the West Phila-delphia Homeopathic Hospital, where it was said Goldberg is suffering from a fractured skull.

TWO AUTOISTS HURT

Machine Overturns on Wynnefield

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bell waiting for them.

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keep the nose of the old skiff in mid-

These Philadelphia engineers say seastream and hope to see some man or sickness is soon to be a thing of the past. It is to be ended, according to No one was in sight. The boys were their statement, by a giant gyroscope which has so far been called a ship

stabilizer. This device is described as a tremen-dous wheel placed inside a ship. The dous wheel placed inside a ship. The wheel, casings and machinery weigh in the neighborhood of 200 tons. The wheel, which is ten to fifteen feet in diameter on a 10,000-ton vessel, re-dimeter on a 10,000-ton vessel, re-dimeter on a 10,000-ton vessel, re-dimeter on a 10,000-ton vessel, re-minute. Within the contrivance is a minute. Within the contrivance is a very sensitive little gyro which, when the deck of a vessel tips slightly at the the deck of a vessel tips slightly at the This device is described as a tremen-FibeLifty TRUST COMPANT, Treases
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were the many times spent with Ben Tompkins-there wasn't another man in the world she would marry-but never seriously contemplates running for Gov-sound was that? She hallooed as loud as she could. A faint sound answered her. The boss at the other end of the State, "Fingy" Conners, of Buffalo. In 1906 Mr. Hearst was signally de-A faint sound answered her. "Ben!" she called valiantly.

In 1990 Mr. Hearst was signally de-feated for the governorship, after the Utica speech, a masterpiece of de-nunciation by Elihu Root, then Roose-velt's Secretary of State. That speech

The New York State "lay-out" has

In a few moments the sturdy little destroyed whatever chance Mr. Hearst way skiff and Ben's strong arms had may have had. He has had several chances to make Ifully transferred Jane to his boat

the race again, but he never would con-sider any of them. He may suddenly get and then he scooped up an armful of drenched crabapple blooms and tossed Let the old skiff go-let her sink." cold feet again this year, and refuse to go before the primaries; but just ion around her.

"Never! I'll tow her home; didn't he chase me most to Bayberry Island "Ben!"

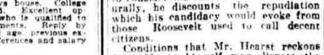
Mernhr Ben, dear "" All's well," sang Ben joyously, as

been ultered considerably since 1906, all in Mr. Hearst's favor. New York City in Mr. Hearst's favor, New York City has increased its lead over the popula-tion of the up-state, and Eric County (Buffalo) trails with it much as Alle-gheny County (Pittsburgh) does with Philadelphia in Pennsylvania, Besides Mr. Hearst is this year concepts more he leaned toward her, and the gay little launch bore them swiftly back to Jane's garden, where the crabapte tree stood like a pinky white bridal

Mr. Hearst is this year somewhat more "respectable" than he was in 1906-"respectable" than he was in 1000-somewhat, but not much. Governor Miller, Republican, has been a strong Governor by all good standards, but he has made enemies. Discontent due to backward business is what induces Mr. Hearst, no doubt, to consider his chances favorable. Nat-



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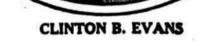


favorable to himself may dispose the Republican leaders to avail themselves f the magic that appertains to the name f Roosevelt and select young T. R. to

> A like condition forced the older Roosevelt's nomination from "easy Boss" Platt twenty-four years ago. Platt There resulted a hard-hitting, slap-bang campaign in the Empire State. desperately to put his tried nominee, Judge Van Wyck, across, He failed by a narrow margin. In that campaign Roosevelt demonstrated his

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